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Fru = fructosyl;

Fuc = fucosyl;

Gal = galactosyl;

GalNAc = N-acetylgalactosaminyl;

Glc = glucosyl;

GlcNAc = N-acetylglucosaminyl;

Man = mannosyl; and

NeuAc = sialyl (typically N-acetylneuraminyl).

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 23, and 32 as follows:

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- 1. (Amended) A commercial-scale production method of sialylating a
- 2 saccharide group on a recombinant glycoprotein, the method comprising contacting a
- 3 saccharide group which comprises a galactose or N-acetylgalactosamine acceptor moiety
- 4 on a recombinant glycoprotein with a sialic acid donor moiety and a recombinant ST3
- 5 Gal III sialyltransferase in a reaction mixture which provides reactants required for
- 6 sialyltransferase activity for a sufficient time and under appropriate conditions to transfer
- 7 sialic acid from said sialic acid donor moiety to said saccharide group.

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- 1 23. (Amended) A commercial-scale production method of sialylating a
- 2 saccharide group on a recombinant glycoprotein, the method comprising contacting a
- 3 saccharide group which comprises a galactose or an N-acetylgalactosamine acceptor
- 4 moiety on a recombinant glycoprotein with a sialic acid donor moiety and a bacterial ST3
- 5 Gal III sialyltransferase in a reaction mixture which provides reactants required for
- 6 sialyltransferase activity for a sufficient time and under appropriate conditions to transfer
- 7 sialic acid from said sialic acid donor moiety to said saccharide group.

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- 32. (Amended) A commercial-scale production method for *in vitro*
- sialylation of saccharide groups on a glycoprotein, said method comprising contacting